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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

"HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK AHEAD"

APRIL

- 3 **Eastern's Career Planning and Placement Center** will offer a workshop on "Resumes and Cover Letters Made Easy" at 4 p.m. Monday in the Charleston-Mattoon Room of the University Union. The workshop is free and open to the public. For more information, call the Placement Center at 581-2412.

Eastern's fraternities and sororities will participate in Greek Week activities, including the traditional Greek games, consisting of canoe races, pyramid building, tugs and volleyball starting Monday. Games will be held through Saturday at the campus pond, except volleyball, which is at the Student Recreation Center. Games start at 3 p.m. Monday-Friday and at 10 a.m. on Saturday. Eastern's Greek community will crown the Greek Week king and queen at 7 p.m. Monday in the University Union Grand Ballroom. Admission is \$1. For more information, call Darren White or Jodie Canham at 581-3967.

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- 4 **The Dudley House** will sponsor an open poetry reading at 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday at the Dudley House, 895 Seventh Street in Charleston. This will be an "open mike" reading. Participants are invited to read their own original poetry or poems by other writers. For more information, call Carol Schmudde of Eastern's English department at 581-6309.

Eastern's Greek community will participate in a "Collegiate Bowl" that tests individual's knowledge of a variety of subject areas at 4 p.m. Tuesday in the University Ballroom in the Student Union. Additional competitions will be held throughout the week. Eastern's fraternities and sororities will also be recognized at an awards ceremony at 8 p.m. Tuesday in McAfee Gym. Top chapter and individual awards will be presented. For more information, call Darren White or Jodie Canham at 581-3967.

- 5 **Eastern's Career Planning and Placement Center** will host its annual Spring Teacher Placement Day/Job Fair as part of Mid-America Teacher Placement Days from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday in the University Union ballrooms. Seventy-eight school districts are scheduled to participate, including schools from California, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Missouri, Nebraska, Texas and Wisconsin. All Eastern students and alumni in teaching, school services and administration are encouraged to attend. For more information, call the Placement Center at 581-2412.

Kathleen Ensor, Carbondale painter and printmaker, will present a lecture titled, "The Case for Art in Public Education," at 7 p.m. Wednesday at the Tarble Arts Center. The lecture will focus on Ensor's observations as a residency artist working in rural school districts, difficulties facing art specialists, the need for art education at the elementary level and examples of team teaching with teachers working in self-contained classrooms. The lecture is free and open to the public. For more information, call the Tarble Arts Center at 581-2787.

Barb Conforti of the Sexual Assault Counseling Service will conduct a workshop titled, "When Is It Rape?" at 7 p.m. Wednesday in the Effingham Room of the University Union. The workshop, covering date and acquaintance rape, is free and open to the public. For more information, call the Counseling Center at 581-3413.

Eastern's Greek community will host a campus unity party featuring free pizza and soda and live music by the band, "Plaid" from 4 to 6 p.m. Wednesday on the South Quad. All EIU students are invited to attend. Eastern's fraternities and sororities will also participate in airband, a lip sync contest, at 8 p.m. Wednesday in McAfee Gym. Tickets are \$5 in advance and \$6 at the door. For more information, call Darren White or Jodie Canham at 581-3967.

- 6 **Gary Wallace**, professor of geology/geography at Eastern and the university's Distinguished Professor for 1994-95, will present a lecture

titled, "History and Operations of the Geology Summer Field Program in the Black Hills of South Dakota," at 7 p.m. Thursday in 332 Physical Science Building. A reception will immediately follow the lecture in 331A Physical Science Building. The lecture is free and open to the public. For more information, call Jeanne Simpson of Academic Affairs at 581-2023.

EIU's Jazz Lab Band, directed by Samuel Fagaly of Eastern's music department, will perform at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, in Dvorak Concert Hall in the Doudna Fine Arts Center. Admission charged. For more information, call the music department at 581-3010.

- 7 **A concert by the EIU Honor Band**, coordinated by Richard Barta, will be held all day Friday in Dvorak Concert Hall in the Doudna Fine Arts Center. Admission charged. For more information, call the music department at 581-3010.

- 8 **The Phi Beta Kappa Alumni Association** of East Central Illinois will honor the 1995 Phi Beta Kappa Young Scholar Award winners at its Eighth Annual Spring Banquet at 6:30 p.m. Saturday in the 1895 Room of the University Union. The winners represent some of the most academically talented high school seniors in east central Illinois. Jeffrey Lynch, assistant dean, College of Arts and Humanities, will speak on "Candidate at Auschwitz" after dinner. In his talk, Professor Lynch will offer reflections on his recent visit to Auschwitz at the invitation of Eva

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Mozes Kor, Auschwitz survivor and president of an international Mengele twin survivor group. For more information, call Frank McCormick of Eastern's English department at 581-6121.

Comedienne Linda Smith will perform at 10 p.m. in the Rathskeller in the University Union. Admission is \$1 for students and \$3 for the general public. For more information, call the University Board at 581-5117.

Eastern's music department will host the EIU Flute Day all day Saturday in Dvorak Concert Hall in the Doudna Fine Arts Center. Diane Boyd of Eastern's music department is the coordinator. There is an admission charge. For more information, call the music department at 581-3010.